



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

QI XIANG : Confirmation Number: 9283

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Filed: July 17, 2003 : Examiner: Sara W. Crane

For: CMOS WITH STRAINED SILICON CHANNEL NMOS AND SILICON GERMANIUM

CHANNEL PMOS

## **AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

These amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Office Action dated June 21,

2004.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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Dear Sir:

For:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

1	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	11	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
	Multiple claims newly presented				\$0.00
		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of  $\boxtimes$ extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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